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Re: Application of Kazuyuki KIRIYAMA; Takashi FUJIKAWA; Masahiro KATO
and Minoru HASHIMOTO
CATALYST FOR HYDROTREATING HYDROCARBON OIL, PROCESS
FOR PRODUCING THE SAME, AND METHOD FOR HYDROTREATING
HYDROCARBON OIL
Assignee: COSMO OIL CO., LTD.
Our Ref: Q97358

Dear Sir:

The following documents are submitted herewith in connection with the above application for the purpose of entering the National stage under 35 U.S.C. §371 and in accordance with the Patent Cooperation Treaty:

- ☒ an English translation of the International Application.
- ☒ an Information Disclosure Statement and a copy of the ISR.
- ☒ a PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified) listing the ISR references.
- ☒ a copy of each reference cited in the ISR.
- ☒ Notification Concerning Submission or Transmittal of Priority Document.

A copy of the Declaration and Power of Attorney, a copy of the Assignment, and a Preliminary Amendment will be submitted at a later date.

In addition to the documents submitted herewith, it is assumed that copies of the International Application, the International Search Report and cited references, the International Preliminary Examination Report, and any Articles 19 and 34 amendments as required by §371(c) will be supplied directly by the International Bureau, but if further copies are needed, the undersigned will undertake to provide them upon request.

It is expressly requested that the national stage of processing be commenced immediately in accordance with 35 U.S.C. § 371(f).

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Base Fee					<u>\$300.00</u>
Search Fee*					<u>\$400.00</u>
Examination Fee*					<u>\$200.00</u>
Multiple Claims Fee					<u>\$360.00</u>
<u>TOTAL FEE</u>					<u>\$1260.00</u>

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A check for the statutory filing fee of \$1260.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application No</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
Japan	2004-092795	March 26, 2004
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Respectfully submitted,

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